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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred Under Section 114 of the Central Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988), and Under Section 138 2 (b) of the Central Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988) , the State Government hereby makes the following Amendments in the Sikkim Motor Vehicles Rules, 1991, namely;

**Short title,
extend and
commencement**

- (1) these rules may be called the Sikkim Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Rule, 2017
- (2) they shall extend to the whole Sikkim.
- (3) they shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

Amendment of Rule 229 (i)

In the Sikkim Motor Vehicles Rules, 1991 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules after clause (iii) of sub rule (1) of Rule 229, the following shall be inserted;

- (iv) Weigh in motion weigh bridges installed at Rangpo and Melli Check Posts shall be utilized by the Motor Vehicles Division and SNT Division of the Transport Department.

**Amendment of
sub-rule 2 of rule 229**

In sub rule 2 of Rule 229 of the Sikkim Motor Vehicles Rules, 1991 the following sentence shall be substituted "not below the rank of Assistant Inspector of Motor Vehicles and officer of the SNT Division not below the rank of Traffic Inspector are authorized to require the weighing of goods vehicles and trailers under sub section (1) of Section 114 of the Central Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988). On detection of cases of overload, the SNT shall hand over the cases to the Motor Vehicles, Transport department for necessary action"

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